

Mr. Nicholas Seymour

Experienced mediator of the CEDR mediation practice group

Summary

Nicholas is the managing director of Battersby Kingsfield Limited ("BKL"), the Hong Kong operating company of BK Asia Pacific Limited, which is a regional specialist group with offices throughout the Asia Pacific Region that offers commercial and contracts advice at all stages of building and civil engineering construction projects. BKL specialises in dispute resolution and Nicholas has represented parties many times in mediations and arbitrations and has acted as a mediator, dispute resolution advisor and also as an independent assessor and appeared many times as an expert adviser in mediations and arbitrations and as an expert witness in arbitrations.

Professional Qualifications

Nicholas is an accredited CEDR mediator, an accredited HKMAAL General Mediator, an HKIAC trained adjudicator, a dispute resolution advisor and is a Fellow of the RICS, a member of the HKIS, a Fellow of the CInstCES, a Fellow of the CIArb and a Fellow of the HKIArb and has been appointed as expert advisor and expert witness many times in mediation and arbitration in respect of additional cost/loss and expense/damages claims and valuation of variations.

Working Experience

45 years experience in the construction industry. 36 years in senior management in quantity surveying practices, commercial departments of contractors and commercial and contract management consultants. 24 years of specialist experience in dealing with commercial and contract management issues on behalf of employers and contractors. 20 years on projects in Hong Kong and elsewhere in the Region.

Training and various Groups

Nicholas has and continues to provide training in various specialist quantity surveying areas, commercial areas and legal areas including mediation.

Nicholas is a former Chairman of the Society of Construction Law Hong Kong and is a former Chairman of the Hong Kong Mediation Counsel Construction Group.

Nicholas sits as a member of the CEDR Mediation Practice Group.